GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Home Department – Appeals – Criminal Justice – Krishna District - Judgment dated 21.10.2024 in Spl.SC No. 162/2019 of I Additional Sessions Judge-cum- Special Judge for Trial of Drugs and Cosmetics Act Cases, Krishna at Machilipatnam – Offences U/s. 18(c), 18(a)(vi), 18B, 22(1)(cca) of the Drugs and Cosmetics Act - Accused were acquitted by Judgment dated 21.10.2024 – Filing of Appeal - Permission accorded – Orders - Issued.

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HOME (COURTS-B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1029 Dated: 25-06-2025

Read:

From the Additional Public Prosecutor, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati Lr. Opinion No. 130/2024, dated 08.05.2025.

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ORDER:

In the circumstances explained by the Director General (FAC), Drugs and Copyrights, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Drugs control administration, Vijayawada and the Opinion of the Additional Public Prosecutor, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati in the reference read above, the Government after careful examination of the matter and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 419 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Act No.46 of 2023), hereby direct the Additional Public Prosecutor, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati, to prefer an appeal before the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh against the acquittal judgment passed by the file of I Additional Sessions Judge-cum-Special Judge for Trial of Drugs and Cosmetics Act Cases, Krishna at Machilipatnam in Spl.SC No. 162/2019 dated 21.10.2024 along with delay condonation petition and duly specifying the reasons for delay to avoid further legal complications in the matter.

2. The Additional Public Prosecutor, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati, shall take necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

KUMAR VISHWAJEET
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Additional Public Prosecutor, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati.

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The PS to Minister (Home).
The PS to the Principal Secretary (Home).
The Law (C) Department.
SF/SC (2827943).

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER